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Re: Application of: Soemo et al.
 Serial No. 09/966,738
 Filed: September 28, 2001
 Confirmation No. 3567
 For: A Proprietary Protocol for a System
 Controller for Controlling Device
 Controllers on a Network Having an Open
 Communication Protocol

 Group Art Unit: 2142
 Examiner: Cheryl M. Reid
 Our Docket No. 1867-0084

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

In connection with the Office Action mailed January 30, 2007 in the above-
entitled application, Applicant respectfully requests a one (1) month extension in which
to file a response, from March 1, 2007 to April 1, 2007.

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The \$120.00 fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1) is submitted herewith. Also, please provide any further extensions of time which may be necessary and charge any fees which may be due to Deposit Account No. 13-0014, but not to include any payment of issue fees.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'H.C. Moore', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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